

Docket No. 250673US0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Katsushi MATSUMOTO, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/807,240

FILED: March 24, 2004

FOR: AL-MG-SI ALLOY SHEET EXCELLENT IN SURFACE PROPERTIES, MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF, AND INTERMEDIATE MATERIAL IN THE MANUFACTURING THEREOF

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.